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Chief Danny Wright
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Chief Wright,

I would like to thank the members of your Dive Team for their assistance on
during a recent burglary investigation our office conducted.

On two individuals burglarized
NE. and took over in property. One of the individuals responsible was arrested a
short time later, and during his interview informed investigators that he had dumped a
commercial safe that was taken during the burglary into Lake.

Upon receiving this information, our investigators contacted your Dive Team and
requested their assistance in recovering the safe. Several of your Dive Team members
including Pat Borer, Jim Bopp, Shawn Mahler, Brian Walters, Kenny Baker, and Mike
Love responded to our scene and coordinated search efforts with our investigators. With
air temperatures well below freezing, your Dive Team members entered the partially
frozen water without hesitation and began their search. Although the divers were unable
to locate the safe after searching the lake for over an hour, their efforts were
commendable.

We feel very fortunate to have access to qualified search and rescue personnel like those
on the LFR Dive Team. Please let the above mentioned individuals know that we
appreciate their assistance.

TERRY T. WAGNER, Sheriff

Todd Duncan, Captain
Criminal Investigations Division